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1. (Confidential - GLC) Had a very useful meeting with Representative Gilbert Gude (R., Md.) on the personnel case in which he has expressed interest. The case involves the Agency's policy concerning the employment of persons with convulsive disorders. Mr. Gude seemed genuinely interested in our policy and gave the impression he thought it was a reasonable one for a sensitive organization such as ours. He did raise several questions, however, which I told him I would check on.

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2. (Secret - JGO) Accompanied Mr. [] DDS&T, to a meeting with Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, concerning R&D planning coordination and programs. This was a followon to Mr. Preston's visit to Headquarters on 5 May 1972. It is hoped that Mr. Preston will be able to visit Headquarters later on for a detailed briefing on selected R&D programs. There are no other followups from this meeting.

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3. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Mr. Drury Blair, Senate Immigration and Naturalization Subcommittee staff, who told me that due to the primaries in the Chairman's home state he did not believe that any further meetings of the Subcommittee will be held until mid June. []

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4. (Secret - JGO) Met with Mr. William Hogan, House Armed Services Intelligence Subcommittee staff, and received from him copy #2 of 3 of the hearings of Tuesday, 9 May 1972, with the request that the transcript be declassified for public printing. I explained to Mr. Hogan some of the difficulties that would be involved in complying with the request and inquired whether this was a firm final determination. It was his suggestion that if the request creates substantial problems, that they be related to Mr. Slatinshek, Chief Counsel of the Committee, rather than back through him to expedite a final determination. I thanked Mr. Hogan and told him I would relay the request.

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